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substantially perpendicular to a longitudinal axis of the conductor when said conductor is positioned in said recess, said contact means having an end portion adapted to displace the insulative covering of said portion of the insulated conductor and make an electrical connection with said conductor upon movement of said electrical contact means into contact with the insulative covering, said [recess] body having knife edged protrusion means extending into said recess for insulation displacement and electrical connection on a side of the electrical conductor substantially opposite to said contact means, said body being electrically conductive [and] with said knife edged protrusions means [being formed integrally with said body], said electrical contact means being electrically connected to said conductive body.

Please cancel Claims 20 and 21 without prejudice.

Please add the following new claims:

§ 24. An electrical connector as claimed in claim 1, wherein: said knife edge protrusions are formed integrally with said body.

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25. An electrical connector as claimed in claim 1, wherein:

said knife edge protrusions are formed by another electrical contact means movably connected to said body and movable into said recess.